

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

Toru Shimosato, et al.

Art Unit: Unassigned

Examiner: Unassigned

Application No.: Unassigned

Filed: Concurrently

For: **DEBURRING METHOD AND
AUTOMOTIVE KNUCKLE**

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Commissioner for Patents
Alexandria, VA 22313

Sir:

Under the provisions of 37 CFR §1.97 through §1.99 and pursuant to applicant's duty of disclosure under 37 CFR §1.56, applicant respectfully brings the following documents, listed on the attached form PTO-1449, to the attention of the Examiner in charge of the above-identified application. A copy of the listed documents is provided herewith for the convenience of the Examiner.

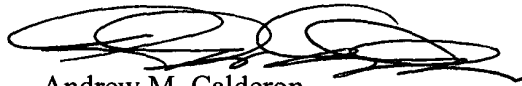
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It is respectfully requested that the listed references be considered by the Examiner and formally made of record in this application.

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Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Andrew M. Calderon', with a stylized flourish at the end.

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